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### LONDON'S CUT-THROAT COMPETITION.

HOW TO FIND INCREASED WAGES.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, March 23. The co-ordination of London's transport facilities, has been

suggested by the court of inquiry into the tramway strike as only way out of the present difficulties, which are attributed to wasteful competition under the present system. Mr. Bevin expressed the opinion that an increase of wages by

eight shillings a week could be granted by adopting traffic control. Mr. Pick, of the London General Omnibus Company stated that owing to private omnibuses competing with the trams in the suburbs. the company had been compelled to place their buses on the same routes, with the result that there were three services where one service was adequate. Some means of public control appeared to be

the only remedy that would enable the tramway companies to pay the increased wages. Mr. Ashfield, replying to Mr. Bevin, also was of opinion that the only remedy was complete co-ordination of all transport facilities; in London under the traffic authority, charging only such fares as would anable payment of good wages.

Tither Telegrams on Pures 2 and 31 "

### IMPERIAL EDUCATION. PHYSICAL CULTURE.

EMPIRE'S STUDENTS TO HONGKONG ASSOCIATION'S ANNIVERSARY. MEET.

located at Causeway Bay with

From this nucleus it had now

enrolled a membership reaching

four figures. In 1921 the Associa-

tion adopted its present name and

The number of members passed

and a Girls' Class. Very gratify-

enrolled over thirty already. It

was no empty boast to say

that the musicians of this

best not only of Hongkong

Kwangtung. The constant in-

crease in the membership list-

Kotewall. In the course of an

### Nisits To The Exhibition.

Taiping Theatre on Saturday The National Students Union afternion, fully 3,000 met to is organising an Imperial stud- discuss the benefits to be derived ents conference with the British Empire Exhibition, inviting one from the system of physical student from each University in culture carried out by the Chin the Empire, to meet in London Woo. Athletic Association of on July 18th and spend a week Hongkong. The occasion was found impossible to salve the boat, the Hastings tournament, visiting the Exhibition and see the fourth anniversary of the ing London, then go to Cambridge, where probably they will foundation of the organization. he accommodated in the colleges.

cussed. It is hoped that leading Members of Parliament will address the conference. -Reuter.

### FRANCO-BRITISH CONTROVERSY.

### Rumours of Fresh Disagrement, only a handful of members.

London, March 23. There is some uneasiness in Paris owing to the return of the British experts Mr. Mc Kenna and Sir John Bradbury to London, moved to the present address. following presistent rumours of their French and Belgian colleagues, especially with regard to what Germany will be able to

years following. It is believed that this sudden visit to London is due to the necessity for adjusting the opposing viewpoint.

M. Poincare has sent the French full blown unit this year, having the suspects. Ambassador in London an important communication for Mr. Macdonald, again discussing the question of the future security of France's eastern frontier. It is the opinion that M. Poincare desires to make an eventual agreement easier by bradening the grounds of discussion .-Reuter. "

### H. M. A. S. AUSTRALIA.

### Protest Against Sinking.

protesting against the decision to Speeches were made by in the Olympic contest.—Reuter's Nivelle was an artillery Colonel Tam, lost his life. sink the battleship Australia, on the graduates and successful American Service. the ground that the sinking is candidates, who received their obligatory under the diplomas and prizes from the Washington Treaty.—Reuter. " | hands of the Hon. Mr. R. H.

Reuter.

S.S. "HEUNGSHAN."

### ABANDONED TO UNDERWRITERS.

### SALVAGE IMPOSSIBLE.

Heungshan, which went aground to underwriters, the Hong- and won his first big match Hotel. kong and Whampoa Dock Company having declared that salvage is impossible. Information to this effect was obtained this morning by the Telegraph from Mr. John Arnold, Secretary of the Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat, Company, which owned the vessel:

We understand that the steamer will be sold by auction very shortly, as she now lies at Larkin's Point (Kellett Reach.) in the Blenheim Passage of the Canton River.

It will be recalled that early on the morning of February 29th. whilst on her usual run from Hongkong to Canton, the Heungshan struck Junk Rock, being badly holed on the starboard side. The stoke-hold and engine rooms were flooded, and it was then decided to beach her. She was safely run aground, and later the At a protracted session, which passengers were taken off by the lasted from 1 to 5 p.m. at the s.s. Kwongsei and conveyed to

many years and was a most pop-The President, Mr. K. C. Lau, Imperial problems villabe discembraced the opportunity to public. She was built in 1890 command of, the trace the Association's growth by Messrs. Ramage and Fer- forces during a ... from the time of its inception. guson, of Leith. She is of 1,914 The year 1920, he said, saw the gross tons, and her dimensions birth of the Chin Woo Athletic are: -Length, 290 feet: breadth.

Association in Hongkong. Then The disappearance of this wellit was called the Chin known ship from the Canton run Woo Athletic Coffege and was will be much regretted.

### RECENT PIRACIES.

SOME REPÖRTED CAPTURES.

Troops of General Hung Shiudifferences between them and the two hundred mark. The lun, operating in the Tamshui scope of the Association had and Nam Shan districts, are said to have captured a number of since been enlarged and now pirates believed to have been pay during the two or three included a Mandarin Class, a concerned in the Hydrangea and years moratorium, and the few Writing Class, a Northern Music Sunning piracies, according to · Class, a Cantonese Music Class, word received in Hongkong.

The information leading up to these captures came from the ing results were seen in these Hongkong Police, and it is stated various activities, and the Girls that some of the crews of both Meanwhile it is reported that Class was expected to become a vessels will be sent up to identify

### TILDEN HANDICAPPED.

### Association ranked among the but of the whole Province of Prefers Writing for the Press.

things. Chin Woo exercises. It this year. He understands that was then 59 years of age. was hoped to instil in the young the similar rule adopted by the He was the son of a French Sydney, March 23. all the best ideals of this Associa-Olympic committee operates au- officer who married an English-

### SCHOOLBOY SETTLERS.

address, the latter referred in A party of eight public school FAMOUS AIRMAN KILLED. glowing terms to the progress boys, including representatives which the institution had made, from Dulwich, Christ's Hospital, as attested to by the fact that its Oundle Bradford, Cranleigh, and membership now approached King's College School, sailed for Berlin, March 23. 3,000. Musical items from a brass New Zealand by the steamer The famous airman, Lin-band and from the Association's Ionic recently. The eight boys nekogel, who established two own class of native, musicians are the first to take advantage of world height records, on resuming were much enjoyed by those the new training scheme of the provoked much enthusiasm. gular intervals.

### IN THE NEWS.

The

### DEFEATED AFTER TEN YEARS.

first defeat of Senor Capablanca shareholders "meeting of in ten years of chess tournament Hongkong and Shanghai Hotels, play. He has thus lost the title Ltd., on Saturday, Mr. J. H. The well-known river steamer of world's chess champion. Now Taggart, Managing Director,



In the meantime, the salvage in 1909. In 1921, Dr. Lasker THE EAST SURREYS. taff of the Hingkong and yielded the championship to him, Whampon Dock Company have after several games. Capablanca vessel and there were hopes-that born at Havana. He made his pontoons, but it has now been he had astonishing suscesses in

ular boat with the travelling General Nivelle, who had he comes here from command of Liqueurs (Assorted club colours). of the late Capt. Willox an every-



New York, March 23. Nivelle was a distinguished Honour, French War Cross, and an unmistakable sign of increas- Tilden points out that the Lawn officer, though he never came Order of the Redeemer. ing public support had encour- Tennis Association's new rule very prominently into public aged the Association to make barring players from writing for notice, except when he was excursions into the field of educa- the Press does not operate until suddenly put in the place of tion. A free school had been 1925. He therefore is eligible General Joffre as commander inrecently opened which included and willing to represent the chief of the whole Allied front at in its curriculum, among other United States in the Davis Cup the end of 1916. Gen. Nivelle

in a frontier garrison, but his The s.s. West Orowa, an Ameripromotion was rapid, and well can vessel, was steaming out past

BLAZE.

flying after a period of seven present, and an exhibition of New Zealand Government, and an embargo on the sale or ship-assistance of the junk people and melody, dances and songs, and years, crashed and was killed on kung-fu (or boxing a la Chinoise) it is hoped that they will be ment of arms or ammunition for later towed the remains of the there will be a change of prohis first flight near Cassel given at the close of the meeting followed by other parties at re- Honduras. Reuter's, American junk into Shaukiwan. The junk gramme nightly up to and includ-

### HONGKONG HOTEL.

### THE PROPOSED RECONSTRUCTION.

An earlier cable reports the In his speech at the annual in his thirty-sixth year, J. R. announced that it was the Com-Capablanca began playing this pany's intention to reconstruct (Mr. J. H. Kemp. K. C.) moved

as the northern block, fronting year. on Des Veoux Road and Pedder Street. This would be pulled there should be further proof that down and it its place would be Mr. Brookes' certificate of practice erected a thorough modern building containing a large lounge, he was loath to cause any delay up-to-date banquetting rooms and and he would have much pleasure other public necessities. The remaining part of the Hotel, facing necessary proof being forth-Queen's Road; would not be affect- coming. ed, as this block was only about twelve years old, and the alterations which had recently been made there would fit in with the new scheme for rebuilding the northern block. When the reconstruction was completed. the result would be a thoroughly modern Hotel from end to end-

was commissioned in the regi- the health of The King, the ment from a trooper in Captain, Mr. B. D. Evans, pro-Lumsden's Corps in August, 1900, after five months the ranks. His services that campaign embraced operations in Orange Free State and the Transvaal(Queen's Medal with four clasps.) "After the war toast of "Our Referees" among he served with the South African whom in particular he mentioned Constabulary, 1902-06, was em- Captain Newton King who had ployed with the Canadian Forces, done so much for the Club. 1909-12; and was adjutant of the Captain Newton King, who was 6th. Territorial Battalion of the received with hearty acclama-East Surreys when the Great tion in reply said that he was War opened. At the front, in only too glad to have been able succession he was adjutant to do anything and that his re-Royal Warwicks, command- playing against the Club. and the Salonika Force. His Mitchell, the Vice-Captain. services extended over France. enant-colonel, and received the the faggots. star with clasp, C.B., C.M.G., musical items, arranged by Mr. bay and Hongkong, the latter in D.S.O., British War Medal, Briof the great War. General tish Victory Medal, Legion of

## JUNK CUT IN TWO.

### STEAMER RUNS DOWN FISHING BOAT.

meeting of the Austion, and to give an education to tomatically, and excludes himself woman, and a grandson of one yesterday morning between an tralian Natives' Association has those who would otherwise have and several other American of Napoleon's officers. When outward bound steamer and a telegraphed to Mr. Bruce to go without the benefit thereof. tennis players from participation the war broke out in 1914 Gen. fishing junk, a Chinese, named Li

> deserved. Amongst other de- Lyemun and had just reached corations he had that of a Grand Saiwan Bay, when she ran down Officer of the Legion of Honour. and practically cut in two a fishing junk. There were four Chin-His body has not yet been re-talented entertainers.

will be a total loss. ing Wednesday evening.

### NEW SOLICITOR.

### FORMER KENYA OFFICIAL

A new solicitor in the person of Mr. Eric Sidney Clifford Brookes was admitted to practice in the Colony by the Chief Justice (Sir W. Rees Davies) at the Supreme Court this morning. The Hon. Attorney-General

month ago, has been abandoned game at the age of five, the old portion of the Hongkong his admission and stated that Mr. Brookes was articled in England cannot but feel that the pirates Seen this morning by a Tele- in 1904 and was admitted in April have again had the best of a very graph representative. Mr. Tag- 1914. He joined His Majesty's gart stated that the recon- Forces in August 1914 and resignstruction would take place ed his commission in 1919. In 1921 when the Peninsula Hotel was he was appointed Deputy Regisfinished. The block which was trar of Kenya, a position which to be reconstructed was known he resigned in February of this

The Chief Justice said that was still in force, but naturally in admitting him subject "to the

### HOCKEY CLUB.

### ENJOYABLE ANNUAL DINNER.

nual dinner at which some thirty- the pirate stronghold. five to forty members and guests been at work on the stranded is a Cuban Spaniard, and was NEW COLONEL ARRIVES. spent a very pleasant evening shown to murders and cut-throats The menu was :- Hors d'Oeuvres: | at home, in Ireland, to consider it The new Colonel of the 1st. A few shots at goal; Potage: a satisfactory method of upholdshe would be floated by means of first visit to Britain in 1919, when Battalion of the East Surrey Bully-off; Poisson: "Nicely ing the honour of the British Regiment arrived in the Colony plaiced"; Hacked shin of beef; flag, and if the authorities do not by the P. and O. liner Kalyan on A very bad foul; "Sticks"; "Pad- take effective action, they may the Hongkong-Canton run for A DISTINGUISHED SOLDIER. Saturday. -Lieutenant-Colonel F. ding" (Very heavy going); find themselves surrounded by a S. Montagu-Bates, C.B., C.M.G., Fromage a la Pickering : Dessert method of gorilla, warfare, which Reuter reports the death of D.S.O., is the officer concerned and Inter-port: Liquid mud and will make such murders as that

Allied the Depot Companies, Kingston.

After the President. Lt.-Col. day occurrence,

portion Lieut.-Col. Montague-Bates

L. G. Bird, D.S.O., had proposed

Yours posed the toast of "Our Guests" Kongmoon, March 22, 1924. in which he made reference to the general pleasure at the return of Col. Robertson to the Colony.

Mr. Mitchell then proposed the the 2nd West Surreys giment greatly appreciated the

The President paid a kindly

G. H. Piercy, were given. The 1906. Rev. T. B. Powell began with a of the Hockey Club. Messrs. hilarity by his excellent monolo- give a dinner party on the night As the result of a collision ancestor had been associated with pany and the Managers of

### KAAI'S ROYAL HAWAIIANS.

The Kowloon season of Kaai's ese on the junk at the time and Royal Hawaiians was opened at FUEL FOR HONDURAS all were precipitated into the the Star Theatre last night, when ed up, but the fourth was missing. the musical treat offered by these

Washington, March 23. The No. 4 Police Launch, which given to-night, with further, items President Coolidge has placed was in the vicinity, went to the from the repertoire of Hawaiian

### THE PIRATED LAUNCH.

### A KONGMOON OPINION.

### We have received the following letter for publication:-

Sir,—The news contained in yesterday's issue of the Telegraph that the long missing hunch has at last returned to Hongkong was doubtless received with satisfaction by the public, but if one studies the question carefully one

The sober facts are that a British launch was seized in Hongkong waters, that one of the crew at least was foully murdered, though many seem to prefer the word killed, and that there are still three members of the crew held to ransom by the pirates. And what have the authorities done to punish these murderers? As far as one can see, absolutely nothing. Although a British gunboat was actually standing by the launch near Gaemoon and the pirates could be seen moving about on shore, yet not a shot was fired to show that the British public do consider piracy a criminal

offence. Admittedly the matter may not have been in the hands of the British authorities when the launch was first found, but there appears no reason why a On Thursday night, the Hong- punitive expedition should not kong Hockey Club held their an- have been sent out later to shell

I have seen too much leniency

Yours etc. NEWCOMER.

### 100 YEARS OLD.

### DUTCH BANK'S CENTENARY.

Saturday next, 29th March, the Netherlands Trading Society will celebrate the centenary of its and adjutant of the 2nd opportunities they had had of existence. The Society was founded in the year 1824 under the auspices of His Majesty King manded the 12th, Cheshires, and tribute to the work of the Hon. William I (great grandfather subsequently commanded bri- Secretary, and the Captain of Queen Wilhelmins). The Head gades in the Egyptian Expedition eulogised the work of Mr. Office was originally in The Hague, but was transferred in Mr. Mitchell, he said, had done 1831 to Amsterdam. In the Belgium, Egypt, Greece, Mace-much on two occassions to revive second half of the past century, donia, European Turkey, Bul the Hockey Club when it was the Netherlands Trading Society garia, Servia, Islands of the defunct. The Club was in some commenced its activity in the Ægean Sea, Russia, etc. He was ways like to the Sphinx of old Far East, outside the Netherlands mentioned six times in de- and Mr. Mitchell was the man Indies. The branch at Singapore spatches, promoted brevet lieut who successfully put the light to was opened in 1857, followed by branches in Penang, Rangoon, following decorations: - 1914 During the evening various Shanghai, Kobe, Calcutta, Bom-

> The Manager of the Nethertopical song written by a member lands Trading Society, Hongkong is to be at home on Satur-Piercy, Edmonds and Eager sang | day next from 11 to 1 in the new songs grave and gay which gave office of the Company, 11, much pleasure to those present Queen's Road Central, corner of and Mr. Zellensky caused great Ice House Street, and he will gues. especially that of the of the same day in the Hongkong Japanese on the origin of Hockey | Hotel, to which will be invited and of the Cantonese whose the European staff of his Comdifferent Netherland firms in the

> > For the extra Race Meeting being held on the 29th inst. the manager has presented a cup for one of the races in commemoration of the foundation of . the Bank

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## EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

FIVE MILLIONS MUST WALK.

London's vast network of street passenger transport is practically paralysed by the strike of forty thousand workers, operating nearly two thousand tram cars and four thousand omnibuses, normally earrying five millions people daily, which was begun at midnight... The men did not show great enthusiasm but unhesitatingly obeyed their leaders' orders. The only hope of settlement lies in an official court enquiry on the wages dispute that is opening this morning, presided over by Sir Arthur Colefax, K.C. Fortunately the underground railwaymen have hitherto refused to participate in the strikt. While an attempt will be made to continue to run 250 "pirate" omnibuses owned by companies outside the combine, even this limited service is likely to be greatly impeded, if not prevented, by energetic picketing garages. The strike now involving 21,000 busmen and 17,000 tramway

men originated over the question of wages, a demand for an increase of eight shillings weekly being made. The busmen's action is purely sympathetic, the tramway men claiming to be put on a level with the busmen in the matter of wages. The employers, who include London County Council and other municipalities and tramway undertakings in the Metropolitan area plead that the state of tramway's finances, which has been unsatisfactory for years, forbids a wages increase. The Transport Workers' Union previously refused arbitration and only agreed to be represented on the Court of Enquiry on condition that it be not bound by the Court's decision. The Union declares that the employers in the past resisted arbitration and refused to accept the findings of the Court Enquiry in 1921. The present claim, which is said to be a minimum, will cost £353,000 yearly. The employers allege that the Union has broken its National wage agreement by not giving a three months' notice to terminate existing

arrangements. The strike committee of the Transport Workers' Union sat throughout the night and reported this morning that the stoppage of buses and tramways was complete. This was evident in the streets where an occasional "pirate" bus was seen, despite the close picketing of "pirate" garages. The suggestion that the tramways endeavour to run a non-unionist skeleton service is countered by a threat by the Electrical Trades Union to cut off power, which would also extinguish the lights of London. The tubes are unusually crowded with City Workers this morning. Charabanes are also utilised, but it is understood that the underground railway men are anxious to join the busmen in their sympathetic action on behalf of the tramway men-The Court of Enquiry opened in the law courts this morning .- Reuter-

### THE IRISH OUTRAGE.

London, March 22. President Cosgrave has telegraphed to Premier Macdonald saying that he was shocked to learn that British troops had been fired on, and assuring him that this cowardly crime will arouse the same, horror and detestation throughout Ireland as it caused to himself and his colleagues. No efforts will be spared to bring the criminals to account. He says also that relatives of the victims can rely upon the sympathy and justice of his Government.

Whether or not the men who shot British soldiers were criminals masquerading in Free State uniforms, has yet to be determined. Queenstown, March 22.

Fuller details of the outrage show that a large high-powered motor car containing four men, disguised as Free State officers, drove to the pier head at seven in the evening, and without warning opened fire with machine-guns on a party of about fifty people, mostly British soldiers just landed from a Spike Island military launch, centreing their attention on the soldiers. The uninjured, men immediately scattered. Some of the soldiers helped their wounded comrades back to the launch, which returned immediately to Spike Island. The motor car in the meanwhile raced out of town firing as it went at the destroyer Scythe, but it is not believed that the vessel was hit. Lorryloads of Free State troops are scouring the district for the perpetrators of the outrage, who are generally believed to be some of the mutineers." Four of the injured are not expected to recover.

London, March 23. The second of the British soldiers wounded at Queenstown has succumbed. The War Office announces that one officer was seriously wounded and seven men dangerously, six seriously and three slightly. Five civilians, two, of whom were women, were wounded. Major-General Liam Tobin has written to the Dublin papers, disclaiming

responsibility for the "cowardly act." The Free State Government is offering £10 000 reward for the capture of the men conterned in the Queenstown outrage .- Reuter.

### THE SINGAPORE BASE.

London, March 23. In an article endorsing the Government's Singapore decision Mr. Garvin in the Observer expresses the hope that Australia and New Zealand will realise that the project is not absolutely abandoned, but postponed, in order to strengthen the Prime Minister's efforts to bring about a definite degree of general disarmament. Jout if no reciprocity is secured, the strengthening of Singapore will be unavoidable. He stresses the fact that Japanese development is still in the military expansionist phase, while Singapore is strategically the throttlevalve of the whole English speaking world, the capture of which by Japan would make impossible effective Anglo-American co-operation in the Far East. In the event of a conflict between Japan and the white races, which all same men profoundly pray will never arise, Japan would have an excellent chance of establishing her sovereignty over China and all the East Indies .- Reuter.

### LAND IN BRAZIL FOR EX-SOLDIERS. London, March 22.

The Rt. Han. E. S. Montagu interviewed on the return of the financial mission from Brazil stated that incidentally Brazil offered six thousand acres of land for settlement to British ex-soldiers .-Reuter.

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### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

FRANCE'S FISCAL BILL.

Paris, March 23. The State has passed the Government's fiscal bill with an amendment necessitating the return of the measure to the Chamber. This is another stage of the shuttlecocking between the Senate and the Chamber, which has been proceeding during the past week, provoking impatience on the part of M. Poincare, who several times intervened in the debates. Both Houses are urging expedition.-Reuter.

During the discussion of the finance bill in the Chamber M. Poincare declared that the adoption of the bill was a formal condition to grant foreign credits to the Banque of France. M. Bokanowski, general reporter of the Budget Committee said that the operation of the Banque of France for the purpose of raising the franc was not mere speculative manœuvre. The rise of the franc was not momentary, but constituted a return to the value of the franc corresponding to the French financial economic situation. His information was that the franc was moving to a still higher figure and certain stability. The Senate will rediscuss the bill to-day in order to agree entirely with the Chamber.-Reuter.

Paris, March 23.

The Chamber and Senate sat late to dispose of the fiscal bill. ! which passed both Houses after being again returned to the Senate from the Chamber with a modified amendment.

The Chamber and Senate have both adopted definitively the finance bill.-Reuter.

### NEWFOUNDLAND IRREGULARITIES.

St. John's, March 22.

The Royal Commission investigating scandals in connection with the former Squires government has published its report alleging irregularities in several ministries and waste of public funds during a period preceding the election cases. It was like "paying idlers for tasks they did not perform" it says. It specifically blames Sir Richard Anderson Squires himself for receiving through his secretary \$20,000 with tainted history from Meaney, the liquor controller, and similarly receiving \$43,000 from the Dominion Steel Company when the latter was negotiating with the Government for the renewal of the ore royalty contract. In the course of the enquiry Sir Richard Squires unequivocally denied the allegations, although he admitted that the monies had been put to the credit of his account for the use of the Daily Star newspaper, while he was absent from the colony between | sum to be signed and the Univer-August and December 1920 .- Reuter's American Service.

### INTERNATIONAL CHESS TOURNAMENT. New York, March 23.

A sensation/was caused in the fifth round of the International "Chess Tournament, in which eleven famous players were participating, by Reti of Austria defeating the World's champion, Capablanca, who only managed to draw four previous games and thus lost three possible points.

Capablanca resigned after Reti had sealed his thirty-first move It was his first defeat in 10 years in match play.—Reuter.

### HONGKONG UNIVERSITY.

ROCKEFELLER AWARD ACCEPTED.

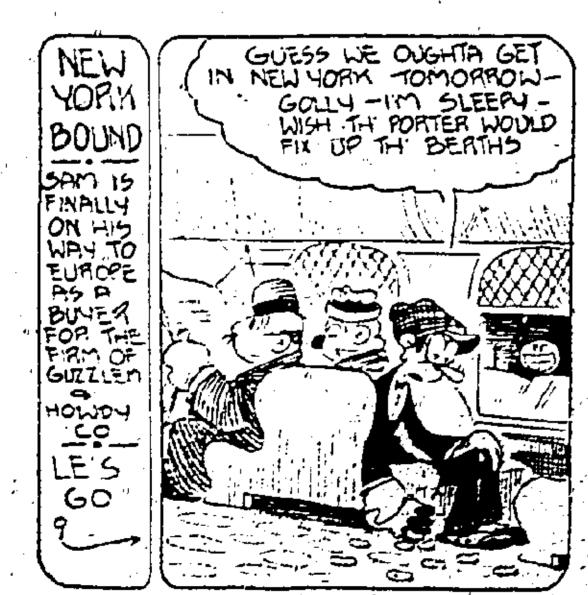
A Meeting of the Council of the University of Hongkong was held in the Legislative Council Chamber on Friday, March 21st, at 5 p.m. His Excellency, Sir Edward Stubbs, K. C. M. G., presided. and the following members of the Council were also present,-Mr. W. W. Hornell, Vice-Chancellor, Hon. Sir Claud Severn, Hon. Mr. A. E. Wood, Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, Dr. J. B. Addison, Mr. G.N. Orme, Professor K.H. Digby, Professor C. A: Middleton Smith. Professor W. J. Hinton, and Mr. N. Teesdale Muckintosh, Registrar. The text of a resolution passed at a meeting of the Rockefel'er Foundation held in New York on February 5th, last was laid on the

table as follows: Resolved that the sum of one hundred and forty thousand dollars (140,000; be, and it is hereby appropriated, of which so much as, may be necessary shall be used to burehase Hongkong dollars Two hundred and nity thousand (250, 000; upon indication that the University of Hougkong has signed a trust agreement providing for the continting use of this fundias endowment for the Chair of Obstetrics" On the motion of His Excellency

the Chancellor, reconded by the Vice-Chancellor, the Council authorised the acceptance of this sity seal to be affixed thereto by the University officers. The necessary documents were-

then signed by His Excellency, Sir-Edward Stubbs, E.c M.G., Chancellor, and countersigned by the Registrar of the University, Mr. N. Teesdale Mackintosh, the signatures where attested by Mr. W. E. Shenton of the firm of "Deacons", Honorary Solicitors to the Univer-

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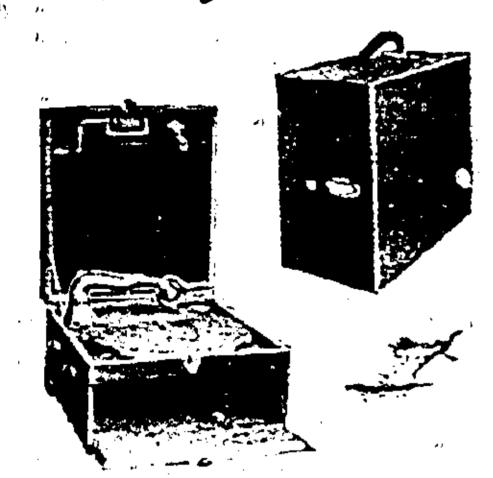
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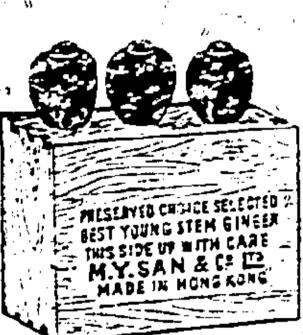
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### CHINESE MEMORIAL SERVICE

The flags of all labour guilds in Hongkong were flown at ball-mast yesterday when a memorial Service was held under the anspices of the Kung Tuen Chung Wui, one of the general labour association formed

by seventy to eighty guilds. The function took place in the afternoon and was particularly interesting by reason of the fact that Lenin the notorious Russian socialist, who died some time ago, was among those bonoured, a large photo of the Russian pecupying prominent position on the table on which typical Chinese offerings were placed. Others to whose memory tributes were paid included five of the victims in the lamentable shooting affray during the big strike at Shatin, in which soldiers Write or Phone I several hundred Chinese, preventing them from leaving for Canton, and also two labour leaders who were executed by the Chinese Government at Hunan. Altogether eight photos were displayed two of them showing the half-naked decapitated corpses of the Hunan Joseph's College took place at

to have been due to the intrigues noon, attracting a large gathering Queen's Club in glorious weather, of one of the directors of a yarn of spectators. "A very substantial factory at Hunan.

Circulars printed for the occasion by the Kung Tuen Chung Wui were distributed to those present at the service, these containing convents and other smaller Catholic distribes depreciating the capitalistic schools to participate was followed. system in China, and pictures of there being altogether over two labour "martyrs" with "short ac- hundred competitors. counts about their lives. Appearing also in the circular was a vivid marked all the races and was representation of militarism in China, depicting President Tsao Kun and Marshal Wu Peifu direct- last year, again come to the fore national cross country race of ten students."

piecs of white cloth bearing Chinese characters and floral designs of many" descriptions were suspended prizes were given away by Mrs. LATE BISHOP POZZONI. The strips of cloth all bore inscrip- de Martin who also presented the tions praising the dead among those medals to the College senior and who sent these being the Civil junior football teams. Governor and other officials of Can- | Before the presentation the Rev.

their tributes to Lenin and others. which took the form of three hows before their photos, a band playing a funeral time when the ceremony was going on. The bowing ceremony was followed by the reading the chief events: of messages of condolence sent by the various organisations.

### Interesting Speech

The gathering subsequently ad- Hachiuma, distance 17.1 in.: 2, S. journed to the Kung Kung teal muse; where the speech-making took place. There were about twenty speakers, the keynote of almost! every speech being the "abolition of capitalism and the downfall of despotic officials." All speakers extolled the "attributes, of Lenin. the man who devoted the greater Hachiuma, height 5 ft.: 2, B. part of his life to better the condi- (in-ani). tions of the masses."

"Though Lenin is dead, his ideals | bhoy: 2, K. M. Omar. and principles survive and will be carried out by the labourers." one peaker said. "The same applies to our beloved brethren, whose memory we honour to-day. They are dead, but their memory will forever remain green in our minds, for their lives have been an inspiration to us. We can best perpetuate their memory by emulating their undauntedness and trying to develop a spirit of steadlastness so that we will not allow fears of death to

thwart our purpose." Reference was made by some of the speech-makers to the deplorable Rest": 1, "The Rest." lack of exprit de corps among Hongkong labour unions which "account" Talk seng. Time 5.45 secs. ed for the contempt with which Government officials have treated Team under Mr. Marcal. us." One speaker made the sensational prediction that unless members took a more active in than five different organisations. Ayr U. terest in their unions and asquired Some people consider the idea of Clyde U Queen's forming a guild from a business Clydebank O Morton a better sense of duties, not only to their particular unions, but in their relations to labour friends in general, half of the existing guilds gain." would have to close down before long. He quoted the case of the Union of Employees in Foreigners'

office and houseboys, cooks and ment intervened, upsetting. amabs, but now there are no fewer arrangements.

Employ as an illustration.

### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

Mexican official circles have allowed hints to leak out that President Obregon has decided on sentimental grounds to give General De la Huerta a change to escape. It is indicated that there is a hope that De la Huerta will select New Orleans as a place of exile. The General's wife and 'sons have already arrived here.-Reuter's

Mexico City, March 23. General Elias Calles, Minister of the Interior, has retired from the army with a view to prosecuting his candidature for the presidency, which is regarded favourably by a vast number of people,-

### ANGLO-AMERICAN LIQUOR TREATY.

Ottawa, March 22.

Paris, March 28. The death is announced of General Nivelle, commander-in-chief I fired on a tumultuous crowd of of the Allied forces during the Great War .- Reuter.

### ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE.

### ANNUAL ATHLETIC . SPORTS.

The annual athletic sports of St. martyrs," whose deaths were said Happy Valley on Saturday after. Varsity sports were held events was arranged owing to the constituted a record. The usual events each .- Reuter. practice of inviting pupils of the

> A spirit of keen friendly rivalry particularly noticeable in the events. open to the senior boys. Hachiuma, the junior champion medal with nine points out of a

At the end of the sports the

ton. Representatives of all labour Brother Amiar, Headmaster, made guilds assembled at 1 p.m. and paid a short speech thanking the prize of the success of the function.

proceedings to an end. The following were the results of

Senior long jump: P. Lim. distance 17.9 ins.; 2, Ngo Sai-Junior long jump: 1,

Hamanaka. Junior 440 yards: 1, Y. Hachluma; 2, A. L. Rumjahn. Senior # 440 vards: 1. J. Cassumbhov: 2, K. M. Omar.

Senier high jump. I. J. Loring, "height 5.1 in.: 2. Figueiredo.

Senior 220 varils: I. J. Cassum-

Junior 220 vards: I. Y. Hachiuma; 2, A. L. Rompilia.

Team rece (open to all schools): St. Stepnen's College: 2. St. Paul's College.

220 yards topen to Boy Scouts in Hongkong;: 1, S. Hamet: 2, Chee Ping-hing. Senior half mile: 1, G. Lai: 2,

V. Schaeter. Junior half mile: 1, A. Mills: 2,

Old boys' race (440 yards): 1, B. Assumpação: 2. H. Braga. One mile bicycle race: 1, C. Remedios: 2; G. Remedios. Relay race (Seniors v. "The

One Mile: 1, C. Barros; 2, Dee Tug of War: The Old Boys';

forming a guild from a business angle; in fact there are people actually exploiting the workers for

Criticisms were made against the action of the Government in prohibiting the guilds to hold the memorial service at the Ming Yuen "The axiom of Union is strength" gardens. It was stated that the has yet to be learned by Hongkong promoters had actually rented the labourers," he said. "Originally gardens and advertised the fact in there was only one guild for clerks, the Chinese papers, but the Govern-England and Wales resulted in a 4

### THE MEXICAN REVOLUTION.

New Orleans, March 23. American Service.

Reuter's American Service.

The House of Commons has concurred in the ratification of the Anglo-American liquor treaty, which Premier King urged on the grounds of morality, international goodwill and commercial benefit. is said that the British Ambassador would also sign on behalf of Canada. - Reuter's American Service.

### OBITUARY.

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SPORTS.

London, March 22.—The Interbefore 5,000 spectators. His programme comprising over thirty Majesty the King was given an ovation on arrival. Oxford and large number of competitors which Cumbridge tied with five and a half

### CROSS COUNTRY RUNNING.

Y. A VICTORY FOR ENGLAND. London, March 22. The Interand carried off the prizes for most miles took place at Newcastle. against "innocent labourers and of the chief events in addition to England won with 21 points. the champienship medal, eclipsing France being second with 80. Scot-Interesting ceremonies formed his previous year's success by land 133. Wales 163, Ireland 180 part of the service, these being held obtaining the maximum number of and Belgium 181. Corporal Coton the premises of the Kung Tuen points in connection with the terell, the Army and English Chung Wai. From the windows champion-hip trophy. J. Cassumb- national champion, was first home and erandth of the guild long by won the senior championship in 55 mins. 35 2/5 secs.-Reuter.

### MEMORIAL TO BE ERECTED.

At a meeting of the Catholic 2 lonors and all who had contributed community of Hongkong held vesterday at the Catholic Union The presentation of a bouquet in Club (Mr. F. H. Barnes, President handsome vase brought the of the Club, presiding) it was decided:

(1) That it is desirable to erect a Memorial to perpetuate th memory of the fate Bishop D. Pozzoni.

12: That a Bishop Pozzoni I Memorial Committee be ap- 1 pointed, to consider ways and + means for carrying out the I above proposal.

A provisional committee was B. appointed to undertake the forms. tion of the Memorial Committee, representative of all sections of the | + Junior high jump: i, "Y. | Catholic community of Hongkong. |

## HOME FOOTBALL.

LATEST LEAGUE RESULTS. London, March 22.—The results of today's League and Cup games

English League. 1 Notts F. Assenal Burnley Arsenal

were as follows:

Blackburn R .- It Liverpool 2 Middlesboro Bolton W. Everton 2 West Ham Huddersfield. 1 Sheffield U. Manchester C. 2 Preston N. E. 1 Cardiff C. Notts C. Sunderland 0 Burnley Tottenham H. 2 Aston Villa W. Bromwich U Newcastle U.

Scottish League. 5 Dundee Raith R. 1 Celtic

Third Lanark I Rangers 2 Hearts 🛫 0 Queen's Park Scottish Cup.

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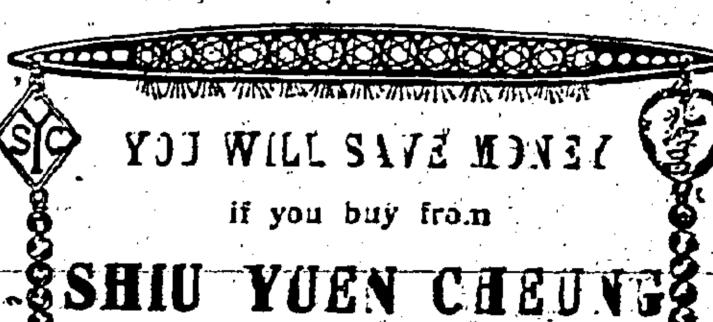
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The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the toria Garden Kowloon 1 13th to the 27th March 1924, both

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> JOHN ARNOLD, Secretary. Hongkong, 19th. Feb. 1924.

## HONGKONG CLUB. NOTICE.

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> By order, T. A. ROBERTSON, Secretary. Hongkong, 15th. March, 1924.

# HONGKONG CLUB.

NOTICE:

A N extraordinary general meeting of the members it of the Hongkong Club, called in pursuance of a requisition by Royal Artillery, Hongkong, will will be held in the Club House on Tuesday, the 25th. March. 1924, immediately after the yearly general meeting.

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> By order, T. A. ROBERTSON Secretary.

Hongkong 25th. March 1924.

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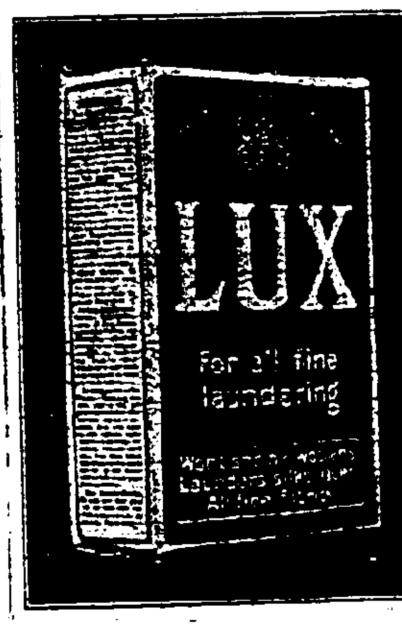
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Mr. Chesterton and Mr. Shaw on the merits of the British breakfast, STOKES & MASTER, the point is lost sight of that bacon is a comparatively recent addition to the morning menu. The old British breakfast was beer and bread; even Queen Elizabeth did not disdain "that poor creature, small beer." Samuel Rogers's breakfasts were the most famous of the time, but according The Senate of Cambridge Uni- to Macaulay they consisted of versity has gratefully accepted "very good coffes, very good tea, an offer from the Empire Cotton and very good eggs, but left in Growing Corporation to grant to the midst of ice, and hot rolls." the University £1,000 a year for One recalls, too, the strange meal five years, to be devoted to the which, according to the legend. plant genetics department of the Mr. Briand ordered on a visit to School of Agriculture, in accord- London, under the impression ance with a scheme that has been that he was conforming to the agreed upon between the two custom of the country-beer and



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### BILLIARDS

### MILITARY AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP.

The final of the military amateur hilliards championship was played at the Soldiers Club on Friday between R. S. Major Page, R.G.A. and Q. M. Sgt. Pennis, R.A.P.O. 200 points, the game was fairly even the play on both sides being of a very even nature. After this, with the exception of a fine break of points

After the game Colonel, Butterprizes for this competition, also for winner. He also wished to thank the Committee, especially Sgt.-Mjr. his best cock. The Rajah, Tye, and Sgt. Bailey for their accepted the challenge and arrangements in carrying out the put up a bird against Mo-

chosen remarks, thoroughly endorsed Mopeng now had a large force of Colonel Butterworth's address, com- coolies with no land to work, so menting on the very good game he had seen that evening, and said he was sorry to see that the sister ed the rich mining field now service was not more strongly re- known as Gopeng, a corruption presented in the Soldiers' Club of the Chinaman's name." In-Tournament only one team having cidentally Mr. Tucker praises entered; the H.M.S. Darban, How. Chinese industry and enterprise. ever, owing to their having had to and their part in making Malaya leave the station the H. M. S. Ambrose would take their place in their competition. The G.O.C., then presented the prizes, as follows: Military Amateur Billiards Cham-

pionship - Winner: Sgt. Major Page, 83 Uoy, R.G.A. Runner-up-Q. M. Sgt. Dennis RAP.C.

Break Prize - Pie Balchin. RAME. Losing semi-finalists-Sgt-Major Goddard R.E., and Pie. Balchin

RAMC. Soldiers' Club Tournament: R. E. team-Major Gandy, Sgt.

"Major Smith, Sgt.-Major Goddard, Q. M. Sgt. Ramsay, Q. M. Sgt. Goad, and Sgt. Cockell. Staff and Departments. - Pte.

Bennett, R.A.S.C., Ptc. Balchin, as the only means for saving R.A.M.C., Cpl. Johnson, R.A.S.C., Japan's match trade from being L-Cpl Randle, R.AO.C. Miles, R.A.M.C., and Pte. Scrutton especially as European manu-RAM.C.

Soldiers' Club, then called for three cheers for the G.O.C., which consupply. cluded a very enjoyable evening.

ANOTHER "OLD-TIMER"

Mr. Thomas Mellows, Superinlendent of the River Police at an extensive inspection trip Shanghai, and one of best-known and most popular of the necessity of such a step. characters both City recently went on six is the centre of the match inmonths sick leave previous to dustry in this country," declared retirement on full pension. Mr. Mr. Harima to a representative of Mellows has been head of the the Japan Advertiser. "Anxious River Police for no less than 29 to be self-reliant and economiyears, and has seen the Force cally independent, India is now grow from its initial small size to making desperate efforts to subits present compartively big ply her own domestic needs

### PERAK TIN STORY.

# Chinese Who Founded A

'Es truth stranger than fiction?" has long been a popular subject of debate, and, indeed, this question is to form the subject of a forensio battle in London before a very good crowd, amongst in the near future between two whom were the General and other wellknown people. Whateverthe officers of the Garrison. The game conclusions may be, the fact was one of 500 up, and for the first remains that truth is often very strange, and that trival incidents have important outcomes. Such n case is reported by Mr. A. B. Tucker in an article which he has contributed to Imperial Com-12 by, Q. M. Sgt. Dennis, S. Major mercy on "How the Empire Sup-Page had things practically all the plies the World with Tin." He way and never looked back eventu- emphasizes the importance of tin ally running out winner by 171 in British industries and of Nigeria and Malaya as our chief producers, and in regard to the worth, President of the Garrison Re development of the mining increation Club, made a few remarks Malaya, quotes the following on the very clean play in the game, story from "Tin Resources of and how pleased everybody was to Empire," by Mr. N. M. Penyer, see the GOC, present, who had concerning the famous Gopeng so kindly consented to present the tin field: "A Chinaman, named Mopeng, had a number of coolies the Schliers' Club Billiard Tourna Working rich tin mines in the ment (six a kide) which was won the Batang Pahang district of Janka Valley, south of Tapah in the previous night by the Royal Perak. In this neighbourhood Engineers against the juniors in the also lived a Malay rajah who was Staff and Departments " The game very fond of cock fighting, a that had been "seen that evening pastime in which Mopeng joined, had been very well fought out both backing their birds with and great credit was due to the high stakes. One day Mopeng,

Competitions so very successfully, peng's that secured victory for The G.O.C., in a few very well him, and all Mopeng's mines. having beard that there was tin ore some twenty-five miles to the north, he took his men and open- High the great tin-producer that it is

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> Mr. Kisaburo Harima, president of the Harima Match Factory in Kobe and an active member of the Kobe Chamber of Commerce who has returned to Japan after the through India, is firmly convinced

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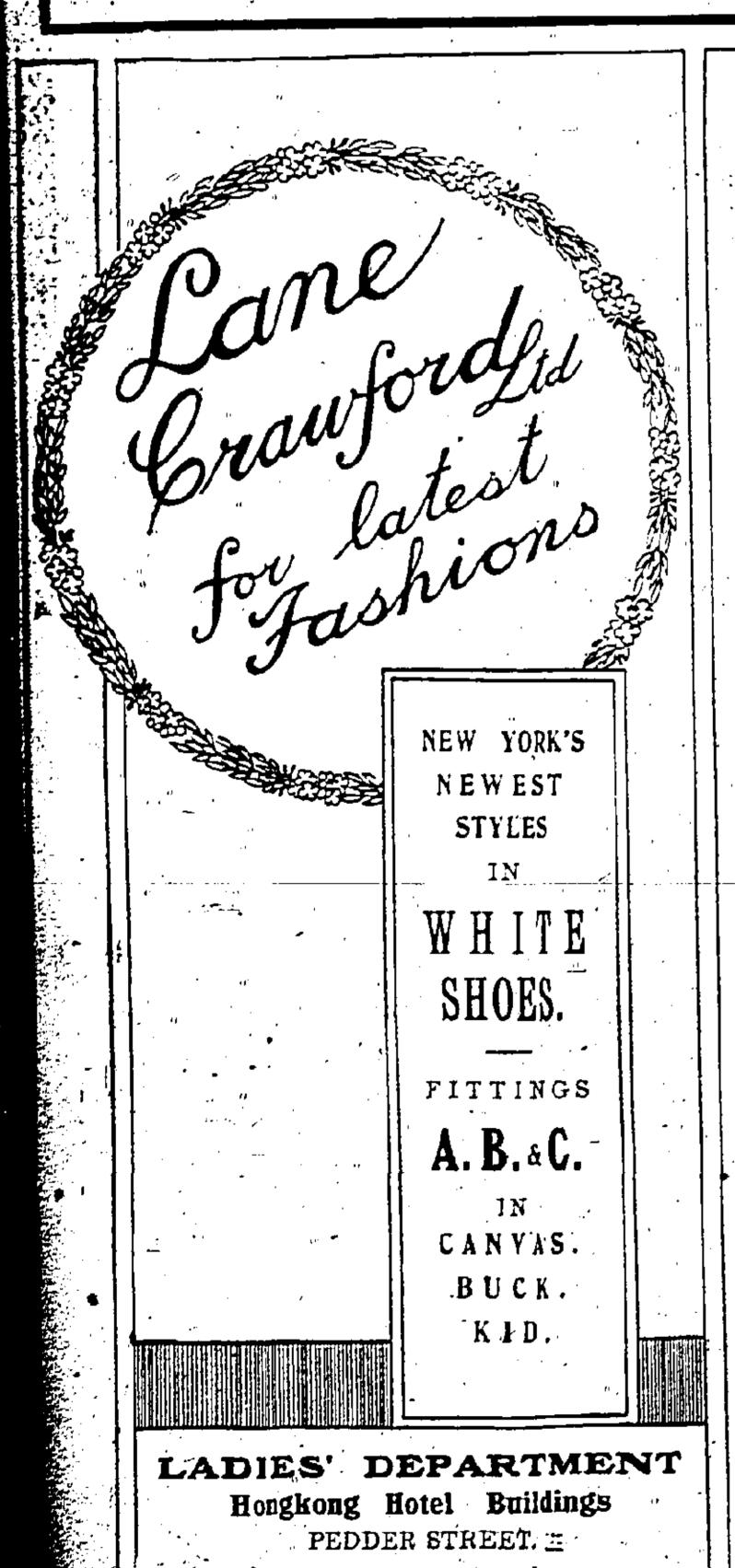
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advancement, we are all apt to take a very great deal for granted. aries, local interest will become Businesses, from small begin- more and more keen as the time nings, grow into mammoth concerns, and we give little thought shorter journey to China, and which such developments imply, but wish all participants eventual the "Sanitary Department for the Club had a couple of changes the Old Boys' association to be This thought occurs to us after success, without serious misnap scavenging, came into collision reading the very frank and in- ing excluded. we particularly The front part of the vehicle was the second goal with a fine informative speech which Mr. J. H. hope the gullant Scots who are damaged and the truck was later holders' meeting of the Hong- for theirs is a smaller kong and Shanghai Hotels, Ltd, enterprise, lacking the valuable Hongkong, Shanghai and Peking, and possibly risking their lives in of the Hunanese forces there, whilst a further three are in the attempt. course of construction. In the Recollections of Pioneers. early days of its history, the may gather from the fact that its ployees; and that during the plied nearly a million and a half flight within thirty cays. meals, exclusive of outside cater-

These are one or two of the engaged. There is evidence in he, and those who have passed fits this evening's big Coronet. The Titania finished up their Saturday's speech that during over before and since, have Theatre picture, it were perhaps season with a win over South the past year much has been gained the greater prize, of a trifle hard to say; but one thing China by three clear goals. The the past year much has been gained the greater prize, mankind's admiration, and done along these lines to con- Empire's gratitude. solidate the position of the Company. Hongkong will also be extremely gratified to realise che per basis, is male available. 1150.

ments by putting on record the part played in the steady and progressive development of the Company, by the Directorate. Men who do things usually suffer criticism, but the best answer which Mr. Taggart and Kalyan on Saturday were Mr. T. follows:his co-directors can give to critics is the present prosperous condition of the Company and the wide ramifications of a concern which originated in Hong-fever and one of enteric fever. kong and has now spread its All were Chinese. influence to practically every part of the Far East. It should

We will close these lew com-

Round-the-World Flying, Added intererest in the attempt to fly round the world is lent by the announcement that British airmen are to start almost simultaneously with the Americans. They will be flying in opposite directions, and if all goes well we in Hongkong and Canton. Mr.

which caters to the needs of re-

sidents, commercial men and

tourists of all nationalities.

the two groups might meet at a kong Hotel. half-way point. That would be a dramatic encounter, and one Dr. Sun Yat-sen has ordered wing to the faulty shooting variety team, Sir Claud Severn and the best in the way of men purposes. to guide them. With several machines to the single British plane, our American cousins have an advantage, with a bigger In these days of progress and margin for mishap yet ability to "carry on." With Hongkong as one of the halts in both itinerdraws near for the birdmen to

of any kind. And, national feel- with a tram standard yesterday.

flight will attain their object, wheels. on Saturday last. Not so many assistance which Government Tse Sung-chan, the newly-ap-ball to Forsyth, who lifted it over years ago, the Company owned endorsement can impart. We pointed magistrate of Tsang Sing the bar. The final whistle found look upon them as being somemerely one hotel. To-day it has what of the nature of pioneers, post ordered to clear out within goals to nil. control of no fewer than seven in testing a new form of machine, ten minutes by the commander

In discussing this round the Company had a very "thin "world flight, our thoughts go back time, and few believed that it to the others who have shown how far man has progressed in had come to stay. To what ex- his conquest of the air-and to tent the Jeremiahs have been those others, again, who sacrificed falsified in their predictions we their lives in the venture. It is gratifying to be able to point to the supreme position won for net profit last year was over a British enterprise-with which million dollars; that its assets, names like Hawker and Grieve, none of which are of a doubtful Allcock and Brown, Ross Smith character, stand at more than others will always be associated five million dollars; that it now To Britons fell the honour of the has a staff of four thousand em- first heavier-than-air flight across course of one year it has sup-back, and the London to Australia recalling the last-named achievement, one realises what risks an stride which the Company has exuded confidence, and one could made. Less striking to popular hardly associate him with disimagination, but of equal importin flying from London to Port ance and significance, is the fact Darwin within the stipulated ... Whether Dr. Severn who was worth beating Brewerton, the shortstop, was also marked for that the Directors of the Com- time, and his Kinghthood party have been at pains to put he had won in the hearts of men. arrived at the Colony, and, if so, R. G. A. pressing the final whistle manship and the game was enjuy. this huge undertaking on a sound Alas! his birthady did not have whether be will take up his duties sounded, leaving the Despatch ed by a large crowd consisting of financial basis and that it is now many returns, but he met a tragic as such Assistant Medical Officer winners as above, concentrating wholly on the end whilst testing a machine for of Health at once." business in which it is directly others are now to attempt. But

DEER TRAPPING IN EPPING.

### DAY BY DAY.

FAVOUR 19 DECEITFUL AND BEAUTY IS VAIR. - Proverba.

Amongst the passengers who arrived by the P. and O. liner W. Hornby and Mr. J. F. Wright.

The health return for the past South China ... 2 Club ... two days shows four cases of Despatch ... 3 R. G. A. small-pox, three of cerebro-spinal Ambrose ... 1 Police ...

A contributor writes thus:-"Journalism in small quantities be a source of pride to us all that is amusing, but to have it conthis British Company occupies tinually hanging over one's head such a leading place in a business is a nerve-racking business."

> down by a motor bus on the Kow. on the Club ground, the Chinese University by 153 to 79 runs. For loon City Road yesterday and being present in thousands. A I.R.C., Sirdar Khan took four received injuries to his head and fast game of football was seen wickets at a cost of one run shoulders. He was taken to the and South China improved their apiece! Government Civil Hospital.

by two goals to nil The American Commercial Atcan imagine a time coming when Arnold is stopping at the Hong-

which both sides would no doubt the subscription of a further the inside forwards. South desire. We can visualise the month's house rentals in advance. China wing cordiality of such an occasion. The money, it is stated, will be very good show and beat the Americans and Britons meeting used for the erection of camps for defence several times, but their in the midst of a contest calling for the military on the outskirts of centres were wasted. Play had Armstrong for the Club compiled the best in the way of aeroplanes | the city and also for educational | been in progress twenty-five | 67, and Railton took 4 Navy.

> ance of Chefalo and Palermoat the latter placing well from the Saturday evening. They carried the top corner of the net over the out their many tricks with heads of several players. The characteristic skill and "electric shock " highly amused.

Swerving to avoid a wandering ricksha, a motor truck used by Taggart delivered at the share- representing. Britain in the removed from the spot minus two short that gains Rodger no C. Fletcher, F. M. et Arculli:

> district, was on arrival at his South China winners by two who had already appointed another nominee.

Religico e Patria, a subscription interval the score sheet was U.S.S. Asheville and the South has been opened amongst the blank. Shortly after the re- China Athletic Association, play-Portuguese community for the sumption, Johnson left the field ed on the Causeway Bay ground celebration of a solemn Requiem and took no further part in the on Sunday resulted in a victory Mass at the Cathedral on the game. Two minutes afterwards, for the Asheville by eleven to 26th instant, at 7.30 a.m., for the Fenn handled in the penalty one. repose of the soul of the late area, and Conner, taking the The South China Athletics did Bishop Pozzoni.

It is reported from Canton that Dr. Sun Yat-sen has ordered two luck with a fast shot, the ball "scratch" hit between third tenderers who have obtained from just skimming the bar. militarists certain privileges for the taxation of food, to be arrested the Atlantic, the first airship cruise and shot, in order that there may across the "herring pond" and be no further interference with In ances of the city.

at least is abundantly clear— sailors aiready won the division ed reports which reach Nairobi everybody who enjoys good melo- championship before this match gold-bearing reefs have been disdrama has a treat waiting here, commenced. for "Fair Lady" is based on one of Rex Beach's most popular that when the new Peninsula At Epping last month Joseph novels, "The Net." The story is Hotel is erected it will be second White, Ivy Chimney, was fined to none between Suez and the Epping Forest. Mr. Earle, for the Pacific Const. whilet a making the control of the sustained until the very end. A. St. Joseph's ground against the discontrol of the sustained until the very end. A. St. Joseph's ground against the discontrol of the sustained until the very end. A. St. Joseph's ground against the discontrol of the sustained until the very end. A. St. Joseph's ground against the discontrol of the sustained until the very end. A. St. Joseph's ground against the discontrol of the sustained until the very end. A. St. Joseph's ground against the discontrol of the sustained until the very end. A. St. Joseph's ground against the discontrol of the sustained until the very end. Pacific Coast, whilst a public Conservators, said this was look- great climax caps, the many South China "B." After the in- discovery. Development work boon will also be conferred when ed upon as an important case. thrills effected while the story is terval, South China put on three months, particularly by Sir the new motor service to the the country, but of late years the finishing touch to a picture that to nil. Pang Wei-hang, Li Kamthe country, but of late years the finishing touch to a picture that to nil. Pang Wei-hang, Li Kamthe country, but of late years the finishing touch to a picture that to nil. Pang Wei-hang, Li Kamthe country, but of late years the finishing touch to a picture that to nil. Pang Wei-hang, Li Kamthe country, but of late years the finishing touch to a picture that to nil. Pang Wei-hang, Li Kamthe country, but of late years the finishing touch to a picture that to nil. Pang Wei-hang, Li Kamthe country, but of late years the finishing touch to a picture that to nil. Pang Wei-hang, Li Kamthe country, but of late years the finishing touch to a picture that to nil. Pang Wei-hang, Li Kamthe country, but of late years the finishing touch to a picture that to nil. Pang Wei-hang, Li Kamthe country, but of late years the finishing touch to a picture that to nil. Pang Wei-hang, Li Kamthe country, but of late years the finishing touch to a picture that to nil. Pang Wei-hang, Li Kamthe country, but of late years the finishing touch to a picture that to nil. Pang Wei-hang, Li Kamthe country, but of late years the finishing touch to a picture that to nil. Pang Wei-hang, Li Kamthe country, but of late years the finishing touch to a picture that to nil. Pang Wei-hang, Li Kamthe country, but of late years the finishing touch to a picture that to nil. Pang Wei-hang, Li Kamthe country, but of late years the finishing touch to a picture that to nil. and atmosphere.

## LOCAL FOOTBALL

SATURDAY'S MATCHES

BA "OUIZ"L

Saturday's games resulted

LEAGUE: DIV. I.

. LEAGUE: DIV. II. S.China "B"... 3 Filipinos .... Fitania Res.... 3 S. China "A" 0

The University v. Chub de credit. Recreio match was not played.

\* SOUTH CHINA v. CLUB. A record crowd for the season 16 A Chinese boy was knocked turned out to witness this game The Indian R. C defeated the position as prospective League champions by winning the match

South China dominated Arnold, returns to Peking from play and for penods kept the Civil Service in a friendly game. Hongkong on the President Club on the defensive... Their Wilson, after spending two weeks forwards were not up to the usual 163 for 4 (Ng Sze Kwong 50, not standard of shooting and although out, and H. Roffey 50k. The Civil they were pressing mostly throughout the game, Rodger 7 (A. E. Wood 50). The in the Club goal was

men gave minutes when Wong Pak-chong wickets for only 6 runs. scored the first goal. Mair con-A small but appreciative audi- | ceded a corner in trying to stop ence witnessed the final perform. Chan Kwong-ni on the wing and of 173 for 5 (Harper 56) and the the Star Theatre, Kowloon on flag kick, Wong sent the ball into the Club occasionally broke through but shooting was wild. At the interval South China were leading by a goal to nil.

dividual effort; running thirty Madar, W. Kay, A.R. Minu, J. chance. Before the close, Ho- Ssoi, H. R. Meacock, M. Shaban, A report from Canton says that chance to score, but he gave the Reserver-F.B. Grose.

AMBROSE v POLICE.

On the Navy." B" ground, the Ambrose beat the Police by a goal to nil. The game was very Through the initiative of the evenly contested and at the kick, beat Mair and won the not seem to be able to find game for the Ambrose. The Barkley, the Asheville's star

DESPATCH v R. G. A.

At Sookunpoo, the Despatch errors on the repeated their previous success the Asheville's infield, and one his scheme to consolidate the fin- against the R. G. A., winning by of them scored. This happened three goals to two. From the in the first incings. The Athlestart the sailors had the advantage tics did not score thereafter. The marriage took place at the and after ten minutes' play Carter The Association's pitcher threw airman continually runs. The Registry Office this morning of opened the score, following good a very slow ball which was rather writer had the privilege little Mr. F. H. Foster, Principal work by Balcombe. Shortly after, irritating to the Asheville men, more than four years ago of wish- Warder of Laichikok Prison Woods put the sailors further who have been used to batting a outstanding figures which we ing Ross Smith "many happy (eldest son of Mr. Foster, of ahead and Lovock miskicking let "speedy" pitcher. They found have taken at random from Mr, returns of the day "on his twenty- Starbeck, near Harrogate, and in Hemsworth; who scered for the him, however, and scored three Taggart's speech, and they serve fourth birthday. This gallant the late Mrs. Foster) and Mrs. F. R. G. A. Before the interval, times in the first innings, once in Australian Scot, with his sunny A. Albuquerque, only daughter of Carter again got through for the third, four times in the sixth to indicate the truly remarkable smile and unassuming manner, the late Mr. and Mrs. Almaric. Despatch, who had a lead at the and three in the seventh innings, interval of three goals to one.

At to-morrow's meeting of the The second half was greatly in knocked a homer in both the Sanitary Board, Mr. S. W. Tso favour of the R. G. A., but they sixth and seventh innings. pursuant to notice, will ask: could only score once, Hems- Knickerbocker, the Ashevilla's recently appointed Assistant sailors' keeper, after good work by his spectacular play,

> TITANIA RESERVES V SOUTH CHINA "A."

Just how the title "Fair Lady"

FILIPINES.

### SATURDAY'S CRICKET.

LEAGUE AND FRIENDLY

MATCHES. The Hongkoug Cricket Club defeated the Kowloon C. C. team on Saturday and won the first division League championship. through a fine performance by A. V. T. Dean, The K. C. C. compiled 80. A. C. L. Bowker taking 4 for 26, and the H. K. C. C. o replied with 125 (Dean 91).

With 296 for 9 against 88, the Royal Engineers soundly defeated the H. K. C. C. second eleven in the junior League. Major Gandy retired with a century to his

. The K.C.C. juniors were well beaten by the Navy, by 112 to 73. Hogg took 6 Kowloon wickets for

### -FRIENDLY ENCOUNTERS.

University, past and present players just failed to beat the Service replied with 169 for Civil Service tried out no fewer than eight bowlers. For the took 3 wickets for 56 runs, with

13 overs (one a maideu). The H. K. C.C. "A" team agains: the Navy won by 187 to 121.

A Civil Service team beat the Chinese R.C. The former declared

Hill taking 7 for 21. "Craigengower defeated Taikoo" Nomads, the latter scoring 117 but being passed easily by the Happy Valley men, whose chief

exponent was Pinna (61 not out). The following have been selected to represent the Queen's The second half was also in College Staff and Pupils against to score. Li Wartong scored Club ground, commencing at 2.15 p.m. sharp:-Messrs. M: P.

ward appeared to have a fine K. L. Chan and M. Hassan.

### BASEBALL.

ASHEVILLE DEFEATS "SOUTH CHINA.

The baseball game between the

Police tried hard to pull the pitcher, for they only hit one ball game round and Kirby had hard to the outfield this being a base and shortstop. There were two men on base when this ball was hit, having got on by

Haynes, the Asheville's catcher,

Chinese, foreigners, American sailormen and a tew British sailors and soldiers.

GOLD NEAR KENYA.

According to well-authenticat" covered near the Lolgorian Hills in the Masai Reserve between Kavirondo Golf, Lake Victoria, and the Tanganyllia bound-

A daylight robbery at Shame shuipo was described in the ery, and \$6.

Mr. A. Dyer Ball appeared for the Crown, and outlining the case against prisoner said rear cubicle was occupied Young Kau and his wife and the front cubicle by a woman named Hui Sai-mui. The couple in the rear cubicle were awakened from sleep by a cry from the front and immediately afterwards two men, one carrying a revolver and the other a dagger, rushed into the room. The man with the revolves his attention to the woman. The usual questions were asked and threats made and eventualboth were tied with tapes and gagged with old socks. It was shortl after midday. The woman in the front cubicle would tell them that the men entered her cubicle an took hold of her. She pointed out to them that she had just given birth to a child and she was released but threatened if she should cry out. The police were unable to say whether two or four men were engaged in th theft, but 'Li Yung-sing, a fish monger, informed them that h saw two men come down, followed shortly afterwards by two others, of whom aprisoner was one. Each had a parcel. L Yung-sing followed prisoner t Hunghom where he watched hin pawn a gold watch for \$4.50 From there prisoner went to Yaumati and still following his the fishmonger saw him go into pawnshop and dispose of some clothing. Subsequently prisoner returned to his house at Sham shuipo. About a monthafterwards (Li Yung-sing had not given in formation) they were together in a teashop and prisoner admitted taking part in the robbery, but threatened to shoot Li if he gave information.

that prisoner made a long state- of Portugal for those public ser- Bound" now running at the ment to the magistrate accusing vants locally appointed who had theatre. Li Yung-sing of taking part in hitherto been unable to enjoy He said he was an admirer of the robbery and denying that he this advantage. He concluded the play, which deals with the himself was present.

Li Yung-sing was crossasked why he did not report the was indulged in by the young was a perfectly true repre-

His Lordship also questioned him and finally told him to go back to his own business and to leave things of that description alone. He had better give up prying about the streets.

Summing up, his Lordship said that chief evidence against prisoner was given by the woman, who said she had no doubt that prisoner was one of the men concerned. The fishmonger's evidence as to following prisoner to pawnbroker's shops was admitted by prisoner, though he sti said he took no part in the robbery.

and sentence of seven years hard will include a recreation room that life exists after death, and labour was passed. and library.

BON YOYAGE.

FAREWELL TO PORTU: GUESE SENATOR

A large number of the Portu-Supreme Court this morning be- guese community of Hongkong members of the China Coast fore the Chief Justice, when Lok met at the Lusitano Club on Fri- Officers' Guild and the Marine Chiu was charged with being day evening to bid farewell to Mr. Engineers' Guild of China; yesterconcerned with another, un Francisco Xavier Anacleto da day, and in a subsequent inter-known, in stealing on October Silva, Senator for Macao, who is view granted to the Press, Mr. 9th, from Yeung Kau a gold proceeding to Lisbon to take his T. T. Laurenson, acting secretary

jackets, several articles of jewell- Albuguerque a Castro, the local dissatisfied with the way the that the robbery took place to thank Mr. Anacleto da Silva they practically had been at 29. New Chan Street, Sham for the ability and zeal he had As for the Convoy system Senator for Macao when he was night) Mr. Laurenson considered sure that Mr. da Silva realised effective. The last ship in the the importance of the duties en- line could be pirated with trusted to him and that as the comparative ease, he thought. He representative for Macao he did not see that the police should 5 kimmel, 5 would always take a keen in- bave anything to do with matters wished the senator bon voyage and cargo at the wharf, and of and thanked him for his work on harbour craft. The naval escort

health was then honoured, with thought, be the real solution. loud acclamation.

in responding to the toast, gave a forward to the effect that short but very eloquent speech representations sould be made to He expressed his deep apprecia- the Inspector General of Customs upon him and said that he was arrangements being made by the proceeding to Lisbon in full Chinese Maritime Customs efficirealisation of his responsibilities, ently to patrol and convoy on the having only at heart the require- main trade routes the North and ments of his constituency. He West Rivers. The Chinese would would do everything in his power then be made to pay for their to secure for the progress of own protection. Macao the most equitable treat- This was a point, Mr. Laurenment and such opportunities as son agreed, which was well would enable Macao to progress worthy of consideration, but and prosper. In his work he was probably difficulties would arise given every consideration and between the North and South attention, and he wished to dis- over the matter. He concluded pose the tallacy existing in some by declaring that the China quarters that the people of Coast officers and engineers had Portugal cared nothing for proved, by sticking to their jobs their. Colonies. He assured despite the indignities they had those present that whoever had suffered, that they were the most the honour and good fortune to reasonable people in the world. represent Macao could confidently

count upon receiving every assistance. He had been cordially received by the Portuguese Embassy in London, where he met the present President of Portugal in his then capacity as Conan Doyle on "Psychic Consul General. It was desirable that the people of Macao should see the country that gave them

examined at length by prisoner, to the supper room where tea Bound" these people did not He made evasive replies when was served, after which dancing know they were dead. That matter until some months after folk to the strains of the jazz sentation. The psychic evidence Orchestra.

Mayor of Liverpool, accompanied being dead, carried over to the by Mr. Frank Wilson, the former other side their own presentment. Ford Mayor, and other members | There were several other points of the Corporation and represent relating to the life after death tatives of the 55th Division (West which had been touched on with Lancashire Territorials), visited great truth, but he had one criti-Givenchy last month and laid the cism to make. When the passenfoundation-stone of a memorial gers in the boat in the play asked hall for which the City of Liver- if there was a wireless apparatus pool has subscribed the funds, on board the answershould have The hall, which will be erected been not "No," but "Yes," but near the memorial of the 55th that there were no receivers on Division, will provide a home for earth to hear them. orphans and aged inhabitants of - Sir Arthur gave some striking extraordinary. The jury found prisoner guilty the commune of Givenchy, and intances to prove his contention

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He's learned that he needn't be bad to be brave. " A lesson that's taught by the Scouts. Oh. boys will be boys; and experience shows

That boys WILL belong to a gang. But organized RIGHT—as the scout master knows— Their energy, vigour and lang Will fashion a clean snappy, likeable troop

From reckiess and impish young sprouts; And that's what's been done with our neighbourhood group, They've gone and joined up with the Scouts!

PIRACY LAWS.

GUILDS STILL -DISSATISFIED.

There was another meeting of watch and \$10, and from Hul seat as a Member of Parliament, of the Officers' Guild, stated that Sai-mui on the same date, two Senhor Luiz A. de Cerveira de the members were still greatly Consul General for Portugal, on Government was going about the behalf of the community present. matter of piracy prevention. It ed Mr. da Silva with a gold eigar- was felt that they should be taken ette case. He said that it gave him fully into the confidence of the immense pleasure and satisfaction authorities, and not ignored, as

displayed in his capacity as (which came into operation last in Portugal last year. He felt that it was not likely to prove identified as the prisoner, soized behalf of Macao. Mr. da Silva's suggestion, if adopted, would, he

> Mr. Laurenson also discussed Mr. F. X. Anacleto da Silva, a suggestion which had been put tion at the honour conferred in Peking with the view to

LIFE AFTER DEATH.

Truth.

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, at the birth, and he would do his Royalty Theatre, London, recentbest to secure the passing ly gave an address on "Modern of measures to grant passages Psychic Knowledge," with special Continuing, Mr. Dyer Ball said and furlough to the Metropolis, reference to the play. "Outward

> by inviting all present to drink to voyage of a number of dead peothe toast "God Bless Macao." | ple to the bourne from which no All those present then repaired traveller returned. In "Outward music supplied by the "Lyric" which those interested in spiritualism had been able to collect showed that dead people did not "Itealise at first that they were LIVERPOOL TO GIVENCHY. dead. Another correct feature in Mr. A. Rushton, the Lord the play was that these people,

quoted many well-known supporters of what he termed the psychic truth. He reminded his critics that he only one exponent of many, including Sir Oliver Lodge. went on to say that life carried on from the moment when a person's eyes were closed in death. That person became spirit, but a spirit was not omnipotent being, but probably below its living counterpart intellect. Death, however, made little or no change in the in-

AID WHEN NEEDED. But when things were really spiritual development. needed they did come to aid. both spectacularly and by instruction. These disembodied spirits brought their information either by means of the trance or by taking partial control of the brain and by many other devices. They had on the other side their own individual outlook, but judging by the numerous messheir agreement as to

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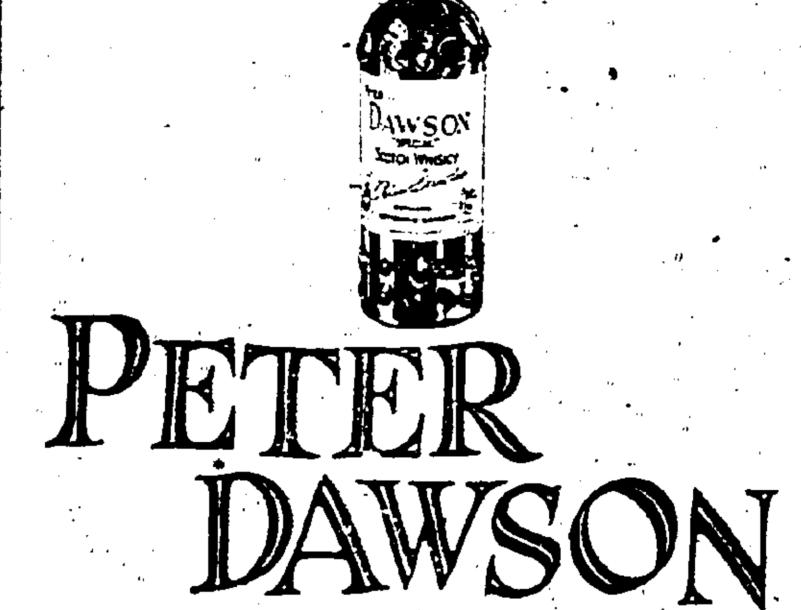
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surroundings and their lives was SURGICAL BLUNDERS.

He quoted some messages re- Cases Of "Spongitis." spirits. One said if man only caused by a letter alleging amazknew the truth about death how ing blunders at the operationmany tears would be dried, while table which has been sent to the another pointed out how much British Medical Journal by Mr. easier it would be to endure trou- Rutherford Morison, late ex-He ble on earth if people knew what ammer in surgery at the awaited them.

drifting creatures living in a sort cognised post mortem diagnosis. of nightmare. Spiritualists were trying to get in touch with these If these spirits were able to poor spirits and help them to answer the questions of their higher planes. In conclusion, friends on earth the living would Sir Arthur affirmed that the only soon become mere automatons, thing in life worth anything was

FOR GETTING A GOOD ORIP.

cently received, he said, from A great sensation has been Universities of Liverpool and It had been ascertained that Birmingham. He relates numerseveral persons after death endur- ous instances of swabs being left ed punishment which took the in the body of the patient, and form of a monotonous life in grey says that in the early days of surroundings full of remorse and abdominal surgery death was so bitterness; while a number be- often a consequence of this overcame actually earth-bound-poor sight that spongitis became a re-

> During the last ten years," he writes. "I have removed six ? which had been the cause of weeks or months of ill-health. All these patients recovered; but [ none of them learned the real! cause of the trouble, and so far as I know none of the surgeons who ! operated was informed of the mistake that he had made."

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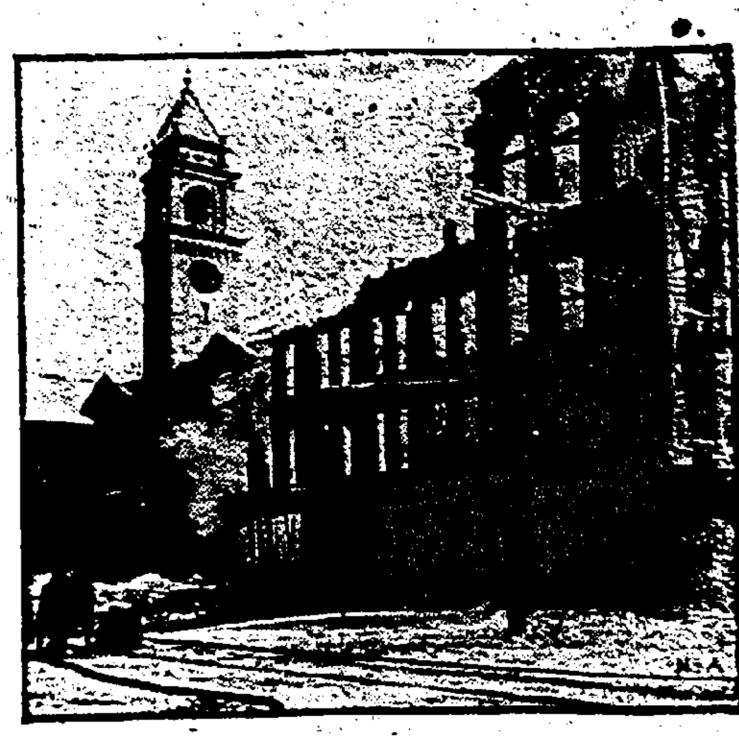
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Here is Antoinette, daughter of Princess Charlotte of Monaco.



Roy D. Moore (left) and Louis H. Brush, present owners of the Marion Star, told the Senate investigating committee of details of sale of the newspaper by the late President Harding. They defended the purchase and said not a cent of the money was obtained from the oil interests.



"Verenica's Veil," the American Passion Play, was presented for the tenth annual time at Hoboken. Left shows, Miss Julia Kenny as Rebecca, wife of Caiphar. Right shows Christus, portrayed by Joseph A. Halsh, taken prisoner by Roman guards.



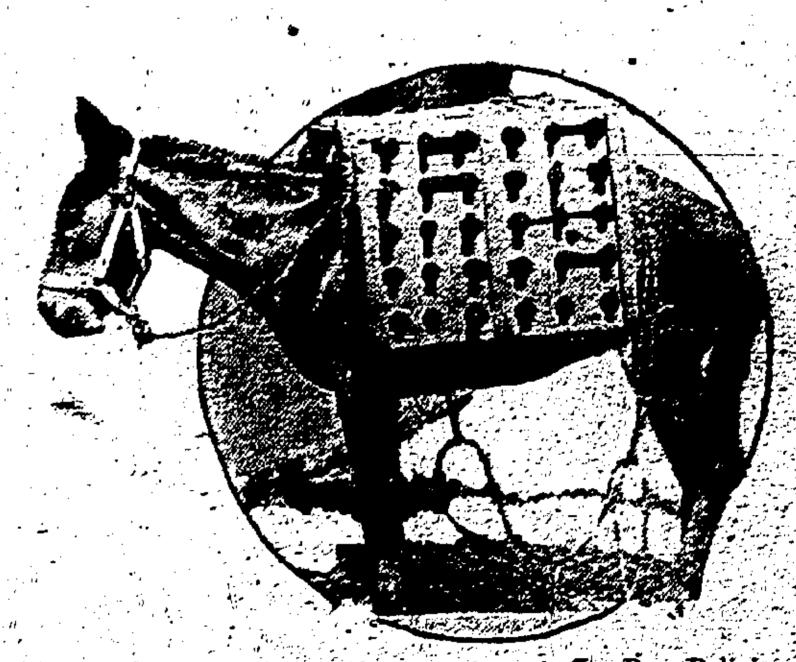
Miss Dorothy Jeffrey (above) was given the title "Queen of Tobogganing," at the Montreal Winter Carnival.



"Barberry Hill Bootlegger," owned by Mr. Bayard Warren of Prides Crossing, Massachusetts, winning dog in New York show.



Here is the end of the riot by 100 prisoners at Western penitentiary, Pittsburg,—return of the quelled mutineers to their cells. The men with their hands elevated are the ringleader in the two-hour fight, during which two prison officials were killed and rocks, guns, clubs, teat bombs and fire hose were used.



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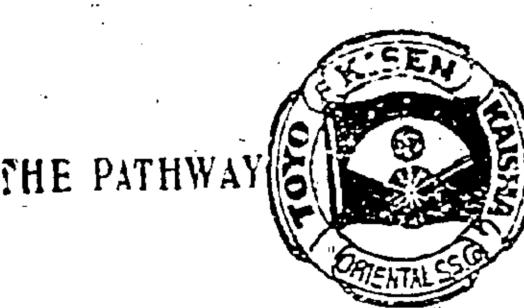
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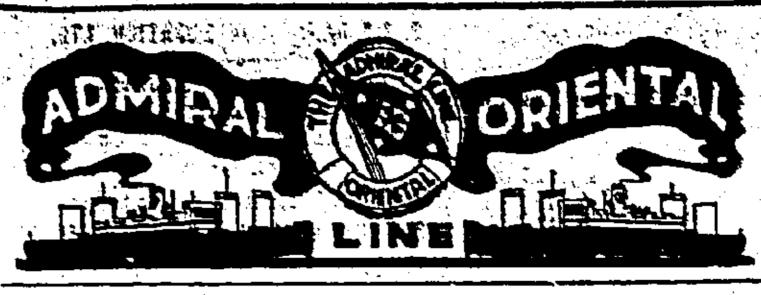
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### PEKINESE IN LUCK.

Homeless Dogs Happy in

New York. Paws across the sea is a sentiment that didn't win much favour with the 192 animated more exhibited last week at the Plana Hotel by the Pekinese Club of America, says a writer in the New York World. The small canines that peep out from behind, dense undergrowth are unanimously against any entangling alliances with foreign dog biscuits. Every one on exhibition, from Kyra, who was listed as No. 1, to Mit Chee, who was No. 192, went on record as

favouring splendid isolation. The truth of the matter is that the Pekinese are worrying the curl out of their tails. They are terribly afraid that somebody is going to find out the real status of their relations back in China. Here in America, the Peke has pushed his way into society so vigorously that he has flattened

his nose in the process. In the Plaza ballroom the Pekes reposed in glass cases lined with precious Chinese embroideries. One of them slept on an orange silk cushion; another lay nose to nose with a gold thread dragon: while a third was housed in a ministure pagoda with heavy gold fringe strung along the curling eaves. All, around hovered sealskinned ladies with combs and unguents and a vocabulary of affectionate phrases that would have startled their husbands into

spilling the matitudinal egg. Meanwhile, in Paking, the third and fourth cousins of these pampered canines were wandering homelessly around the streets, run down at the heel, patched at the elbows, and hungry enough to bite the ankle bracelets from the foot of a bronze idol.

Dogs, it happens, are not regarded as pets in China, With the exception of the court sleeve dogs, they are kicked, scalded, starved and treated in general. like redheaded step-children. A Chinese carries his bird cage even into battle with him, and he chirps affectionately to crickets imprisoned in small wooden cages. but a dog is regarded as a rank outsider.

Thus the canine aristocrats of the Hotel Plaza are the homeless muts of Peking

### EXCESSIVE REPARA-TION.

### Enquiry by French Commission.

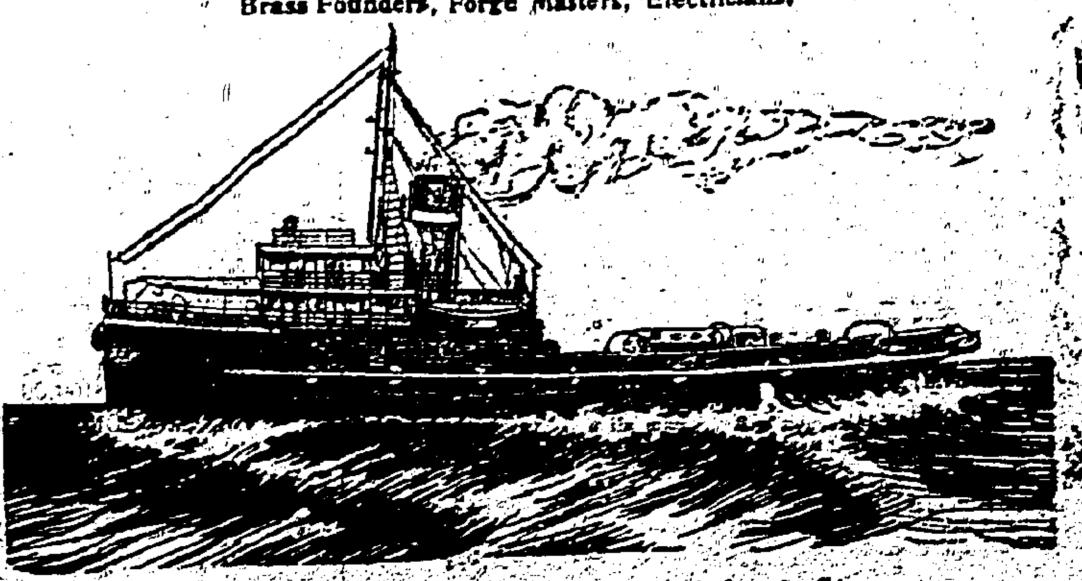
M. Henri Fougere, the president of the anb-committee of the French Chamber enquiring into the alleged grant of excessive compensation for war damages in the devastated regions, says that in two-thirds of the 115 cases in which the paper have been examined there have undoubtedly been excessive grants. These cases will be referred to the Ministry of the Liberated Regions. In five or six cases the sub-committee considers, that there have been fraudulent declaration, and these cases will be referred to the Ministry

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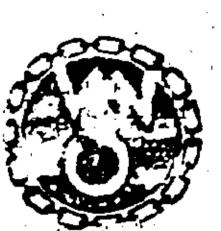
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No Fire Insurance whatever will be effected. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for

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UNREST IN SUNWUI. (Our Own Correspondent)

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Mr. Lam Yeuk-si, the newlyappointed Commissioner of Coast Defence, arrived yesterday Kongmoon by the gunboat Tung Ping. A report has it that the naval officers will resign en bloc when Mr. Lam takes over the office and that they will try make things very warm for him. It is further reported that the Hongkong so far as shipping was gunboats Kong Koo, Sun On and concerned.
Tung Yi, instead of being handed over to Mr. Lam. will be turned over to Gen. Li Chai-sum, Commissioner of West River Rehabi-

litation Bureau. The people in Sunwui City are living in a nightmare of fear. spite of the reassuring official notifications, blatant rumours of speak for themselves. all descriptions, which seem to have sprung up from nowhere, in the article. It mentions that Maybe these rumours are liners call at Shanghai; but, in unfounded, but they doubtless point of fact, they do not make arise from the fact that enormous Shanghai a regular port of call, numbers of soldiers have recently either eastbound or westbound. arrived at Sunwui from the East River districts and other sources, extent, Hongkong owes her posi-There are at present no fewer tion as a great seaport to Nature's than 3,000 soldiers billeted gift to her (and, indirectly, to in different parts of the city. China and the world as well) of a and all the ancestral temples magnificent harbour. We read and vacated public buildings of the Apostle Paul's exhorting are taken up by them as one of the early Christians not their quarters. However, more to neglect the gift that was in soldiers are expected to arrive him. While the Government's there any day, and the Sunwui "hasten slowly" policy has much magistrate has addressed a note to commend it, those concerned to the General Chamber of would surely not be above bearing Commerce and the Oi Kwan the gentle hint that the gift of Charitable Institution asking this wonderful harbour should them to make the necessary not at any time be allowed to be arrangements for commodation any "new arrivals. It is feared that unless they can come to satisfactory decision one way or of its shortcomings, there is no the other, molestation of some denying the fact that the Govern-

further arrival of troops... in Sunwai are assuming such proportions as actually threaten the peace and order of the place. Pedestrians who venture out in the street after nightfall often find themselves a victim in the hands of these desperadoes, being relieved either their money and valuables one case, a woman, after Crown. To quote Mercer:being robbed of all her money and valuables, was made to take off So hath this waste of hills for J. N. Stern, Mr. L. D. Humphrey, all her outer clothing by the ages lain

code of honour." Who knows that they are not carrying out an intense form of socialism? A notification has been issued by the Financial Reorganization now the train Bureau to the effect that in addition to the usual protection shore doth draw, fees, an extra tax shall be im-1 p.m. posed on theatrical performances. , 26 inst., 1 p.m. The tax, which is payable in Emp. of Busis ... Wed., 26 inst., 4.30 p.m. advance, is to be based on the And since "since the powers ... Wad., 25 inst., 5 p.m rate of \$100 each play.

## HONGKONG SHIPPING.

CAUSE FOR UNEASINESS REMOVED.

ing letter for publication :-

Sir. - The article dealing with the relative positions of Hongkong and Shanghai as shipping nearly stationary in the South. ports is, no doubt, of much interest to those who watch the progress of the two centres. It should set at rest those who have been feeling uneasy by being told that Shanghai was ahead of

If we recollect that 1922 was the year of the big seamen's strike in Hongkong, we should not take that year's statistics for comparative purposes. figures for 1923 are certainly the I Formosa Channel correct ones to take, and they

There is a slight inaccurancy persistently circulated the Blue Funnel trans-Pacific

It is well known that, to a great ac- neglected.

Incidentally, Hongkong has

much to be thankful for the gift of its Government. In spite sort is bound to occur with the ment of Hongkong is a very good one, compared with the Govern-The numbers of pick-pockets, ments of many other places. snatchers and highway robbers Not many places can show sucha record of progress since the appearance of Sir Charles Elliot's proclamation of the 20th January' 1841, notifying the conclusion of preliminary arrangements between the Imperial Commissioner Keshen and himself, one of the terms of which was "the Sassoon, Mr. A. J. Crawford, Mrs. cession of the island and harbour C. C. Watt, Mr. R. P. Gillespie, or articles of clothing. In of Hongkong to the British

chivalry finds no place in their saw And spoke, when bounding to

the onward law The rugged island heard, and

And lifts her stately head the marvel of the main.

that be are ordained of God", it

## WEATHER REPORT.

- Mar. 24d. 10h. 33m.-Pressure has increased considerably over N.E. Japan and moderately over We have received the follow-IS.W. Japan. It has increased slightly at Shanghai and Chefoo and decreased slightly from Hongkong to Haiphong. It is

A weak anticyclone is central over N.E. China. -

Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inch. Total since January 1st, 5.68 inches, against an average of 5.36 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON TO-MORROW.

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Hongkong, Mar. 24.

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